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Sir or Madam:

1. My name is Jonathan O. Owens, Esq. I am one of the attorneys at Haverstock & Owens LLP for the assignee of the above-captioned U.S. Patent application.
2. It is the regular practice of Haverstock & Owens LLP to maintain the docketing system for applications of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.
3. Although the assignees, Sony Corporation and Sony Electronics, Inc., intended to respond to the office action in a timely fashion, inexplicably, the deadline for filing a Request for Continued Examination for the above-captioned application was unintentionally missed.
4. From my communications with the assignee, the assignee fully intended not to abandon the application, and specifically wished to file a Request for Continued Examination.


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5. Upon learning of the abandonment of this application on May 24, 2008, Haverstock & Owens LLP immediately began preparing the attached petition to revive the application.
6. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this declaration is directed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: May 29, 2008


Jonathan O. Owens

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I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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